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1. PLO DELEGATE DR. NAIM KHADER TOLD PRESS AFTERNOON  
JANUARY 29: "WE WILL WORK FOR RECOMMENDATIONS IN MANILA  
MEETING FOR ECONOMIC SANCTIONS AGAINST RACIST REGIMES  
IN THE WORLD AND THESE INCLUDE SOUTH AFRICA RHODESIA,  
AND ISRAEL." ASKED WHO HE MEANT BY "WE" HE SAID NOT ONLY  
PLO BUT A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES IN THE AFRICAN AND ASIAN  
GROUPS AND PERHAPS A HANDFUL OF LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES.  
KHADER ADMITTED THAT SUCH A RESOLUTION COULD JEOPARDIZE  
GROUP OF 77'S POSITION IN NAIROBI MEETING. FOR THIS  
REASON, HE SUSPECTED MANILA MEETING WOULD NOT BE ABLE  
TO REACH A CONSENSUS BUT ADDED, CRYPTICALLY, "IN  
THIS KIND OF MEETING, WE OFTEN HAVE SURPRISES."

2. IN ACCOUNT OF INTERVIEW, SEMI-OFFICIAL PNA NOTES  
THAT JAKARTA DECLARATION OF 1976 (BEING POUCED DEPARTMENT)  
INVITED MANILA MEETING TO RECOMMEND TO UNCTAD  
SUSPENSION OF MEMBERSHIP OF RACIST REGIMES AND  
ECONOMIC SANCTIONS AGAINST THESE REGIMES, IN LINE  
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WITH UN ANTI-ZIONISM RESOLUTION. THREE NATIONS (NEPAL,

IRAN, THAILAND) OBJECTED SO RECOMMENDATION WAS APPENDED  
TO DECLARATION.

3. ISRAELI EMBOFF TOLD US JANUARY 29 THAT HE WAS APPREHENSIVE MANILA MEETING MIGHT ADOPT RECOMMENDATIONS ON SANCTIONS AND ITS OWN ANTI-ZIONISM RESOLUTION. ISRAELI, WHO NOTED ARABIC WAS NOW AN OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF CONFERENCE, SAID ATMOSPHERE OF MEETING WAS REMINISCENT OF ARAB LEAGUE MEETING. EMBOFF ASKED IF THERE HAD BEEN ANY VOICES OF MODERATION. ISRAELI SAID HE HAD HEARD THAT IN JAKARTA GOP HAD VOTED TO MODIFY MORE EXTREME POSITIONS AND WAS DOING SAME HERE BUT HE COULD NOT CONFIRM THIS. HE SAID IRAQ APPEARED TO BE SPEARHEADING THE ANI-ISRAEL EFFORT. SULLIVAN

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